

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
MANABU OHGA ) : Examiner: M. A-V Nguyen  
Application No.: 09/662,756 ) : Art Unit: 2626  
Filed: September 15, 2000 ) :  
For: IMAGE PROCESSING )  
METHOD AND APPARATUS : March 8, 2006

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 8, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows, the changes to the claims being reflected in the listing that begins at page 2, and the Remarks beginning at page 10.